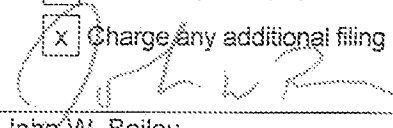


AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER				Docket No. 0020-5483PUS1	
Application No. 10/578,517 - Conf. #1726	Filing Date May 08, 2007	Examiner C.E. GARCIA	Art Unit 2627		
Applicant(s): Kenji OTA et al.					
Invention: TAPE DRIVE WITH CARTRIDGE THICKNESS DETECTING SENSORS (as amended)					
MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
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Total Claims	3	- 20 =	0	x	0.00
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<input type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for this amendment.					
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